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As of 31 May 1952, the prices of various consumer goods in Lenkoran (N38-45, E48-50), Astara (N38-28, E48-52), and Astrakhan Bazar (N39-14, E48-30), Azerbaijan SSR, were as follows:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Price(in rubles)</u>
Black bread	kilo	1 1/2
White bread	"	2 1/2
Bread, in Lenkoran	"	2 1/2
Kolkhoz paddy	"	3
Granulated sugar	"	10
Lump sugar	"	15
Beef	"	8
Mutton	"	11
Good soap	bar	4
Poor-grade, kolkhoz soap	"	2
Prakhoref ohintz	meter	12
Wide Prakhoref ohintz	"	14
Yiligh (veil)	piece	16
Kalbas barashka (sausage?)	kilo	8
Milk	2(?)	3
Electricity	per month	7 rubles 20 kopeks
Water	" "	2

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